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REFERENCE TO: Mission 1104,

NEW AIRFIELD ONDOR HAAN, MONGOLIA

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED AIRFIELD IS FURTHER INDICATION OF THE INCREASING SOVIET PRESENCE IN MONGOLIA.

2. LOCATION:

5.2 NM SSW OF ONDOR HAAN AT 4713N 11037E AND APPROXIMATELY 140 NM FROM THE SINO-MONGOLIAN BORDER.

3. REMARKS:

THIS IS THE SEVENTH NEW AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTED
IN MONGOLIA DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS, AND IT
IS THE FIFTH STAGING/RECOVERY-TYPE FIELD OBSERVED.
THIS FIELD AND FOUR OTHER RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED
AIRFIELDS IN MONGOLIA APPEAR TO BE QUITE SIMILAR
IN SIZE AND CONFIGURATION TO SEVERAL SOVIET
AIRFIELDS RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED IN THE TURKESTAN
MILITARY DISTRICT OF THE USSR. IN ADDITION IT
APPEARS THAT THESE FIVE NEW 10-11,000 FEET
STAGING/RECOVERY AIRFIELDS IN MONGOLIA ARE SOVIET
BUILT/CONTROLLED SINCE MONGOLIA DOES NOT POSSESS

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	ANY HIGH PERFORMANCE AIRCRAFT WHICH WOULD REQUIRE SUCH RUNWAYS.
4.	COLLATERAL: NONE
5.	FIRST IDENTIFICATION: THIS MISSION.
6.	PREVIOUS COVERAGE: NONE
7.	MISSION READOUT: THIS MISSION REVEALS 11,325 X 340-FOOT NE/SW SERVICEABLE GRADED-EARTH RUNWAY WITH A PARALLEL TAXIWAY, TWO END-CONNECTING AND TWO CROSSOVER LINKS. NO SUPPORT FACILITIES ARE OBSERVED.  OB: NONE
	ENLARGEMENT FACTOR: 30X IEG/WGD

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